STATE of WISCONSIN



WHEREAS; the Giant Slide at the Wisconsin State Fair provides family fun for all ages with more than 125,000 people riding down the 200 foot-long, green and yellow Giant Slide on a burlap sack every year; and

WHEREAS: the Giant Slide and Wisconsin State Fair are a part of Wisconsin's tradition of fun, friendship, warmth, and good cheer—a state of Gemütlichkeit; and

WHEREAS, owner and creator, Fred Pittroff, and his family opened the Giant Slide in 1968, and continue to operate the attraction today; and

WHEREAS: the Giant Slide is celebrating its 50th Anniversary this year;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Scott Walker, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim Thursday, August 2, 2018 as

Giant Slide Day

throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to all of our citizens.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 23rd day of July 2018.

SCOTT WALKER GOVERNOR